#### **CANCELLED**

## CITY OF SURPRISE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION AGENDA

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2006 AT 7:00 PM** 

SURPRISE CITY HALL 12425 WEST BELL ROAD, SUITE D100 SURPRISE, AZ 85374

The regularly scheduled meeting for October 3, 2006 has been CANCELLED.

The next meeting is scheduled for October 4, 2006.

Scott Chesney, Director Planning and Community Development

## CITY OF SURPRISE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2006 AT 6:00 PM

Northwest Regional Library 16089 North Bullard Avenue Surprise, AZ 85374

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

- A. Roll Call
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Approval of items on the **Consent** Agenda all items with an asterisk (\*) are considered to be routine matters and will be enacted by one motion and one roll call vote to the Planning and Zoning Commission. There will be no separate discussion on these items unless a Commissioner requests; in which event, the item will be removed from the consent agenda and considered in its normal sequence on the agenda.

ITEM CURR	ITEM DESCRIPTION ENT EVENTS REPORT	STAFF RECOMMENDATION	
1	PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT REPORT	NO ACTION	
CONS	ENT AGENDA:		
2*	SP06-180 – CONSIDERATION AND ACTION – ARIZONA TRADITIONS NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER: REVIEW REQUEST TO APPROVE A SITE PLAN	APPROVE	
	FOR ARIZONA TRADITIONS NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER LOCATED ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF NORTH JAVELINA DRIVE AND WEST WEATHERBY	PLANNER: ADAM COPELAND	
	DRIVE.		
3*	SPA06-130 – CONSIDERATION AND ACTION – WADDELL SQUARE SHOPPING CENTER: REVIEW REQUEST TO APPROVE A SITE PLAN	APPROVE	
	AMENDMENT FOR A NEIGHBORHOOD SHOPPING CENTER AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF WADDELL AND REEMS ROAD.	PLANNER: NICOLE GREEN- CATTEN	
REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS REQUIRING A PUBLIC HEARING:			
4	GPA06-340 - DISCUSSION ONLY - MAJOR AMENDMENT: REVIEW A REQUEST FOR A MAJOR AMENDMENT TO THE SURPRISE GENERAL PLAN	NO ACTION DISCUSSION ONLY	

### OPEN CALL TO PUBLIC:

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#### **CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

Note: During this time members of the public may address the Commission on any item not on the agenda. At the conclusion of the open call, Commissioners may respond to criticism, may ask staff to review the matter or may ask that the matter be put on a future agenda. No discussion or action shall take place on any item raised.

PLANNER: JANICE SEE

#### **CURRENT EVENTS REPORT**

CHAIRPERSON AND COMMISSIONERS

#### CONSIDERATION AND ACTION TO HOLD AN EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3), the Planning and Zoning Commission may go into executive session with the City Attorney for legal advice on any item listed on the agenda.

ADJOURNMENT:		
	Scott Chesney, Director	
	Planning and Community Development	

#### REPORT TO THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

CASE NUMBER:

SP06-180

(Arizona Traditions Neighborhood Center)

STIPULATIONS:

a through i

PREPARED BY:

Adam Copeland, Planner @ 623.875.4320

Adam.copeland@surpriseaz.com

**Application Date:** 

September 7, 2006

Planning & Zoning Commission Hearing Date:

October 4, 2006

APPLICANT:

CCBG Architects, Inc 102 E. Buchanan St Phoenix, AZ . 85004

602 258-2211 602-255-0909 fax

rserrano@ccbg-arch.com

**PROPERTY OWNER:** 

Surprise Village North LLC of DR Horton

16430 N. Scottsdale Rd. #200

Scottsdale, AZ . 85254 Attn: John Lockett 480 368-2283 480-368-1088 fax jlockett@drhorton.com

**REQUEST:** 

Approval of a Site Plan for a project known as Arizona

**Traditions Neighborhood Center** 

**SITE LOCATION:** 

The subject site is located on the northeast corner of

N. Javelina Drive and W. Weatherby Drive within

Arizona Traditions Parcel 14.

SITE SIZE:

The subject site is 1.42 gross acres.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that this request, a Site Plan for Arizona Traditions Neighborhood Center (SP06-180) located on the northeast corner of N. Javelina Drive and W. Weatherby Drive within Arizona Traditions Parcel 14, be **approved** subject to stipulations **a** 

through i.

#### **PROJECT ANALYSIS:**

The subject request is for a 2800 S.F Neighborhood Center to be used for clubhouse space consisting of card rooms, a fitness room, small kitchen, swimming pool, and recreational bocce ball courts.

The site is located internal to the Arizona Traditions Parcel 14 community and includes adequate pedestrian and vehicular connections. Also, there is opportunity for Golf Cart parking in the areas listed as "compact" on the site plan.

#### PROJECT IN CONTEXT:

The subject property is surrounded by Sun City Grand to the north, Bell Point I & II to the west, earlier phases of Arizona Traditions to the east, and Surprise Farms to the south. The Beardsley Canal runs along side the east portion of Arizona Traditions Parcel 14 and the McMicken Dam runs along the northwest portion.

#### PEDESTRIAN/CART BRIDGE:

The agreement for the pedestrian/golf cart bridge over the Beardsley Canal as presented in Parcel 14 Final Plat of Arizona Traditions, will be subject to the approval of the developer, the Arizona Traditions Homeowners Association and the Maricopa County Municipal Water Conservation District No. 1 and will be finally executed by December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2006.

The subject bridge will link Arizona Traditions and promote shared amenities. Residents from the eastern portion of Arizona Traditions Development will be able to walk or ride a golf cart to the proposed Neighborhood Center in Parcel 14. Residents from Parcel 14 would also be able to walk and ride to amenities east of the development.

The applicant will need to set up a voting session with the Home Owners Association of Arizona Traditions prior to November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2006 and provide the City of Surprise with the results signed by the Arizona Traditions Home Owners Association. If the Home Owners Association vote "no" on the Pedestrian/Cart Bridge, the bridge will not be required to be constructed.

#### CIRCULATION:

Primary access to the site will be from West Skyline Drive to the north and West Weatherby Drive to the south.

#### ARCHITECTURE:

The architecture of the building will compliment the surrounding area and blend in with the design of the community as homes are constructed. The building is oriented northeast and southwest to avoid excessive heat generation from the sun, as well as provide a sense of entry to the site with the building angled towards the southern entry.

#### LANDSCAPING

Landscaping will be provided around the perimeter of the project as well as internal to the site. At the time of Landscape Plan review, all species of tree and plant size will comply with the Planning and Zoning Design Guidelines Manual.

SP06-180 AZ Traditions Neighborhood Center

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Along the eastern portion of the site, the landscape will act as a shield to automobile headlights shining into homes to the west of the site.

The retention area will separate onsite activities substantially from the homes to the east including perimeter vegetation.

#### LIGHTING

All lights will be completely screened. All foot candles will be at 0 along the residential property lines eliminating any light pollution on residential lots.

#### COMMUNITY MEETING

The Home Owners Association and approximately 70 residents from Arizona Traditions had a meeting with the applicant on November 29, 2005. The applicant stated that all of the residents' questions and concerns were answered and the community was in support of the project.

#### **EXISTING AND SURROUNDING ZONING:**

ON-SITE:

**PAD-Arizona Traditions** 

NORTH:

**PAD-Arizona Traditions** 

EAST:

**PAD-Arizona Traditions PAD-Arizona Traditions** 

SOUTH: WEST:

**PAD-Arizona Traditions** 

#### **EXISTING AND SURROUNDING LAND USE:**

ON-SITE:

Recreation

NORTH:

Single Family Residential

EAST:

Single Family Residential

SOUTH: WEST:

Single Family Residential Single Family Residential

## **EXISTING UTILITIES AND SERVICES STATUS:**

WATER

Arizona American Water

**SEWER** 

City of Surprise

FIRE PROTECTION

Surprise Fire Department currently has stations located:

FIRE STATION 301

16750 North Village Drive East

FIRE STATION 302

18600 North Reems Road

FIRE STATION 303

15440 North Cotton Lane

FIRE STATION 304 22443 North 163rd Avenue

POLICE PROTECTION:

Surprise Police Department currently has stations located:

14312 West Tierra Buena Lane 18600 North Reems Road

#### **ULTIMATE STREET BUILD-OUT**

Street Name	Right-of- Way	Pavement Width	Landscaping	# of Lanes in each direction	Sidewalks
N. Javelina	36 feet	24 feet	Sides	1 lanes	5' both sides
W. Skyline Dr.	36 feet	24 feet	Sides	1 lanes	5' both sides
W. Weatherby.	36 feet	24 feet	Sides	1 lanes	5' both sides

#### **DEPARTMENTAL REVIEW:**

All departments involved in the subject review have recommended the project to move forward subject to all stipulations.

#### **COMMENTING JURISDICTIONS**

ADOT- See attached letter.

#### **COMPARISON TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE**

Standard	Required	Provided
Parking	28	44
Building height	35' Max	21'-4"
ADA Parking	1	2
Residential setback	45'	south 70', east 85', north 185', west 115'

#### **EXISTING SITE CONDITIONS**

The site currently is undeveloped.

#### **PHASING**

Constructed in one phase.

#### STANDARD STIPULATIONS:

- a) Development shall be in accordance with the Site Plans date-stamped September 7, 2006, unless otherwise stated herein;
- b) Prior to delivery of any combustible material to the site, fire department access and fire protection systems shall be completely operational in accordance with the approved plans by the Fire Chief and the City Engineer;
- c) Major changes to this Site Plan with regards to use and intensity must be processed as a revised application with approval by the Planning and Zoning Commission. Minor changes may be administratively approved by the Planning and Community Development Director, Water Services Director, City Engineer, and Fire Marshal:
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- e) Applicant or property owner must provide the City with approved earth moving permit by Maricopa County Environmental Services Department prior to release of any permits;
- f) Approval of this site plan is not to be construed as an approval of any violation of the current adopted Surprise Municipal Code at the time of submission;
- h) All landscaping, hardscape and wall details shall be submitted for separate landscape plan review and approval by the Planning and Community Development Director prior to issuance of a building permit;
- i) All roof mounted and ground mounted mechanical equipment shall be screened from public view and will be subject to the approval of the Planning and Community Development Director.





## Arizona Department of Transportation

Intermodal Transportation Division 206 South Seventeenth Avenue Phoenix, Arizona 85007 3217 ED

Janet Napolitano Governor Victor M. Mendez

Director

June 12, 2006

City of Surprise Planning Department 12425 West Bell Road Suite D100 Surprise, Arizona 85374 C/o Ms. Debbie White

RE:

AZ Traditions Neighborhood Center/SP06-180/ Union Hills & Javelina

Dear Ms. White:

Thank you for your notification regarding the Site Plat for the subject referenced above. After a complete review, we have concurred that the proposed Plat at this time will have no impact on our highway facilities in this area. ADOT does want to review and comment on the FINAL PLAT.

ADOT does reserve the right to review and comment any further development plans, changes and or additions for this site, as to any impact they may have on the State Highway System.

Should you have any questions, you may contact me at 602-712-8755or by fax at 602-712-3051, or in writing at 205 S. 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Right of Way Project Management Section, Suite 349 MD 612E, Phoenix, Arizona 85007. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

LOUÍS J. MAELOQUE, Right of Way Agent III

lmalloque@azdot.gov



#### **Written Narrative**

## Arizona Traditions - Parcel 14 Neighborhood Community Center City of Surprise, Arizona Request by Surprise Village North L.L.C. (owner)

This narrative, along with attached drawings, describes our request for site planning approval by city council for development of a 1.4 acre site in Parcel 14 of Arizona Traditions for use as an active adult amenity building known as the Neighborhood Center. Initial Pre Application Meeting comments have been addressed in the attached drawings. The building sits on a 61,903 sf. lot zoned PAD.

When vehicular access through Arizona Traditions to Parcel 14 was denied by city council, it created a situation where members of the Arizona Traditions Homeowners Association living in Parcel 14 are forced to drive out through the adjacent residential community, out onto Bell Road and back in through the main gates to use and benefit from the lifestyle amenities in Arizona Traditions. To diminish this traffic and inconvenience it is beneficial and appropriate to include some amenities in Parcel 14.

With full disclosure to the existing residents and the Homeowners Association, an amenity package as submitted is proposed. This amenity package includes a small multipurpose neighborhood community center 2,800 sf., a small resort style pool, four Bocce Ball courts with (3) open ramadas, and approximately 42 parking spaces. The neighborhood community center will include a small fitness room, a small kitchen and a meeting/social room that can be separated into two rooms for things such as card playing, meeting rooms, social events and minor craft or hobby uses. Additionally there will be restrooms and some storage space to go along with the resort style pool.

Leading up to the approval of the Final Plat for Parcel 14 there was much discussion and homeowner education and input on the effect of potential amenities in Parcel 14. This process included numerous open Town Hall Meetings, community and committee discussion and city staff and city council review and discussion. On November 16, 2005 the developer submitted a written request for the Arizona Traditions Board of Directors to review and comment on the proposed amenities. This matter was addressed at the November 05 Town Hall and BOD Meeting. This resulted in a subsequent committee/community meeting on November 29, 2005 where the plans were reviewed in great detail. The attendees, who included some board of director's members, some BOD committee members, some HOA staff and management members along with representatives of the developer came up with numerous suggestions and request which were subsequently included in the plans.

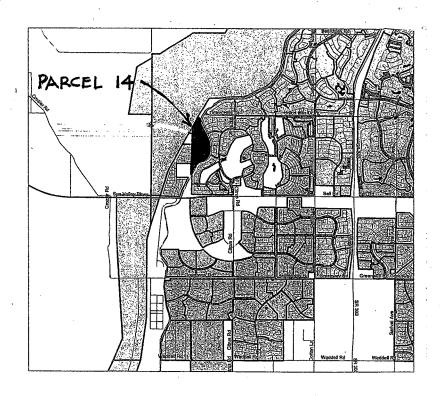
City approved infrastructure is currently being installed in the rights-of-way to support this building and nearly 235 surrounding homes. The Neighborhood Center building is completely surround by single-family detached homes and no other commercial development is planned for Parcel 14. Although other portions of Parcel 14 are developed in phases, this application for the Neighborhood Center building will not be phased. AAW Will Serve Letter to be delivered to city staff separately.

The financial effect of additional amenities with regard to operating and reserve cost is negligible. Approximate monthly Operating Cost is projected to be less than \$1.40 per resident and approximate monthly Reserve Cost is projected to be less than \$0.60 per resident. While not all residents will agree with these amenities, we feel this package is what fits best for this parcel and yet maintains low cost accommodating amenities to the overall community.

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SPO6-180 AZ TRADITIONS PARCEL 14 NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER.





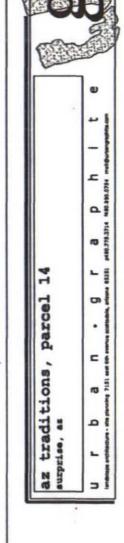
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13,825 SQFT













102 E. Buchanan St. Phoenix, Arizona 85004 phone: 602.258.2211 fax: 602.255.0909

CCBG Architects, Inc.



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AZ Traditions Parcel 14 Neighborhood Center Surprise, AZ

Revisions

Date MAY 4, 2006

Drawn SS/ RS Checked

RS Job Number 0524 Drawing

SITE PLAN

PA06-0025

NORTH WEST ELEVATION

2

SOUTHWEST ELEVATION
1/8" = 1'-0" (02)



NORTHEAST ELEVATION 04

SOUTH EAST ELEVATION

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COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

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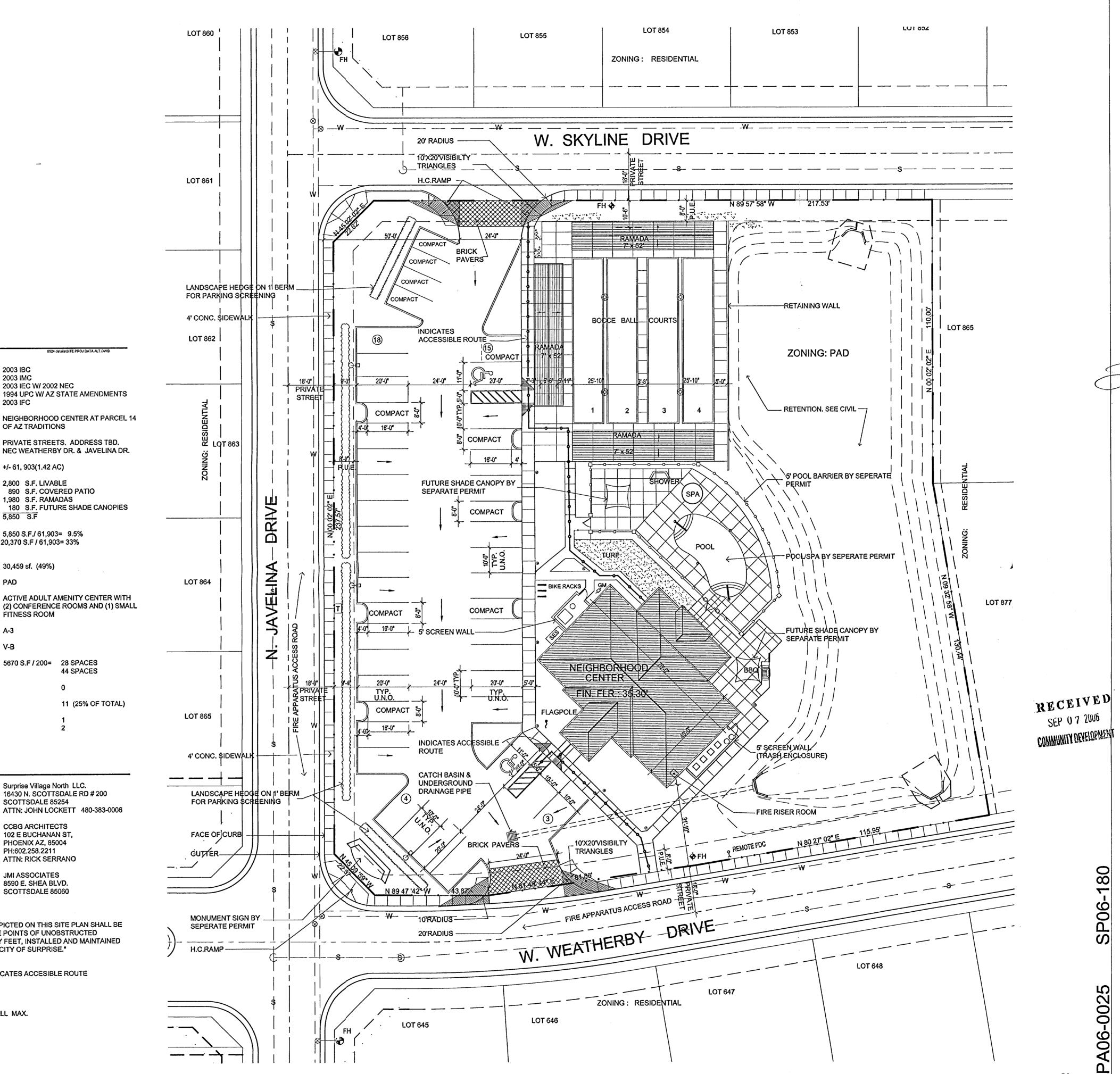
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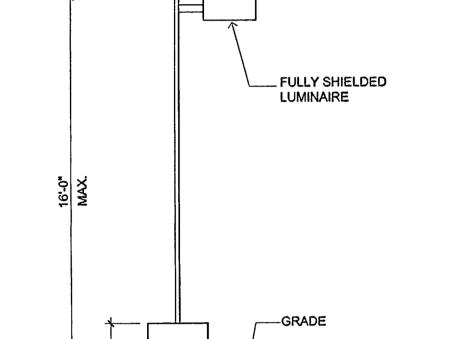
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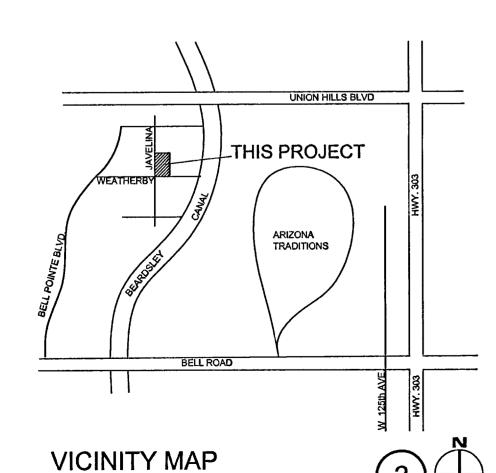
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# PROJECT DATA

SITE DATA

**BUILDING CODES:** 

PROJECT NAME:

**NET SITE AREA:** 

TOTAL AREA

LANDSCAPE AREA:

PROPOSED USE:

OCCUPANCY:

CONSTRUCTION TYPE:

PARKING PROVIDED:

EMPLOYEE PARKING:

COMPACT SPACES:

ARCHITECT:

PARKING REQUIRED: 1:200

ACCESSIBLE PARKING REQD

ACCESSIBLE PARKING PROVIDED

ZONING:

PROJECT LOCATION:

PROPOSED BUILDING AREA (GROSS):

LOT COVERAGE (BUILDING):

Surprise Village North LLC. 16430 N. SCOTTSDALE RD # 200 SCOTTSDALE 85254 OWNER:

ATTN: JOHN LOCKETT 480-383-0006 CCBG ARCHITECTS

0524 details/SITE PROJ DATA ALT.DWG

2003 IBC 2003 IMC

2003 IEC W/ 2002 NEC

OF AZ TRADITIONS

+/- 61, 903(1.42 AC)

5,850 S.F

30,459 sf. (49%)

A-3

V-B

LOT COVERAGE (BUILDING AND PARKING): 20,370 S.F / 61,903 = 33%

2,800 S.F. LIVABLE 890 S.F. COVERED PATIO 1,980 S.F. RAMADAS

5,850 S.F./ 61,903= 9.5%

5670 S.F / 200= 28 SPACES

44 SPACES

11 (25% OF TOTAL)

PRIVATE STREETS. ADDRESS TBD.

102 E BUCHANAN ST, PHOENIX AZ, 85004 PH:602.258.2211 ATTN: RICK SERRANO

JMI ASSOCIATES ENGINEER: 8590 E. SHEA BLVD. SCOTTSDALE 85060

NOTE: "ALL PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT PHASES DEPICTED ON THIS SITE PLAN SHALL BE PROVIDED A MINIMUM OF TWO (2) SEPARATE POINTS OF UNOBSTRUCTED ACCESS WITH A MINIMUM WIDTH OF TWENTY FEET, INSTALLED AND MAINTAINED PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE CITY OF SURPRISE."

INDICATES ACCESIBLE ROUTE

G☐ LIGHT POLE 16' TALL MAX.

LIGHT BOLLARD

FLAGPOLE

DRAINAGE ARROWS

TRANSFORMER

#### ITEM 3

#### REPORT TO THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

CASE NUMBER:

SPA06-130

**Waddell Square Shopping Center** 

STIPULATIONS:

a-j

PREPARED BY:

Nicole Green-Catten, Planner @ 623.875.4344

**Application Date:** 

April 7, 2006

**Planning & Zoning Commission Hearing Date** 

October 4, 2006

**City Council Hearing Date:** 

N/A

PROJECT OVERVIEW

APPLICANT:

Jonathan Stern

George Rainhart Architects & Associates

2325 San Pedro NE #2B Albuquerque, NM 87110

PROPERTY OWNER:

**Douglas Peterson Properties** 

2325 San Pedro NE #2A Albuquerque, NM 87110

**REQUEST:** 

Approval of a site plan amendment proposal for a

neighborhood shopping center at the northwest corner of

Waddell Road and Reems Road.

SITE LOCATION:

Northwest corner of Waddell Road and Reems Road

SITE SIZE:

8.21 Gross Acres

**RECOMMENDATION:** 

Staff recommends that this request, a site plan revision for Waddell Square (SPA06-130), located on the northwest corner of Waddell Road and Reems Road, be approved, subject to stipulations a through i.

#### **PROJECT ANALYSIS:**

This application, SPA06-130, is a request for site plan amendment approval for a shopping center at the northwest corner of Waddell and Reems Road. The purpose of this request is to revise the existing approved site plan for Waddell Square to accommodate 357,685 square feet of neighborhood commercial buildings. Previously, the approved site plan featured a major retail pad at 55,835 square feet, 2 restaurants totaling 7200 square feet and 2 minor retail pads totaling 10,800 square feet. The new site plan proposes a bank at 5313 square feet, a daycare center at 10,565 square feet, 2 restaurants, totaling 5600 square feet square feet, and retail shops totaling 163,726 square feet.

Staff feels that the proposed site plan has a better opportunity of providing better neighborhood commercial services and amenities. As a result, the addition of the daycare center and bank are possible due to the reduction of the major retail pad. The commercial subdivision for this site plan (CS06-238) will be heard at the October 12, 2006 Council Meeting.

#### ARCHITECTURE:

The Waddell Square Shopping Center reflects a contemporary approach to Spanish Mission architecture. Its form, color and detail will match that of the motifs found on the existing Walgreen's Drugstore and recently approved Wells Fargo Bank. Both of which, sit prominently at the northwest corner of Reems and Waddell Roads.

The building design is comprised of an exterior finish system that resembles stucco and is accented with split-face concrete block at the base. Insulated glass is used in the storefront system which reduces glare and heat gain. The roof profile is a combined use of stucco parapets and clay tile roofing. Details are incorporated into the design by the use of lattice motifs on the exterior walls and a distinct pediment pattern that is repeated throughout the shopping center.

The developer has worked diligently with staff to ensure that "fast food 2" drive-thru window was kept away from the perimeter walls adjacent to residential lots. In addition, the daycare center building entrance was rotated to encourage safer pedestrian and vehicular drop off areas for building patrons as well as enhancing the view for those entering the site from Reems Road.

#### CIRCULATION:

Vehicular Access to the proposed site is possible by way of Waddell Road and Reems Road. Pedestrian circulation is facilitated on site through the use of paved pedestrian paths and sidewalks. These pathways will integrate with the existing Walgreens, the future Wells Fargo Bank and the adjacent neighborhood sidewalks.

#### LANDSCAPE:

The preliminary landscape plan has been submitted and includes a large variety of vegetation and several different types of shrubs and trees. Perimeter walls adjacent to residential will be heavily landscaped to screen the rear of shops 1 and 2, the daycare center and the bank.

#### **EXISTING AND SURROUNDING ZONING:**

ON-SITE: C-2 NORTH: R1-5

SOUTH: Maricopa County

EAST: Cotton Gin PAD (C-2 Designation)

WEST: R1-5

#### **EXISTING AND SURROUNDING LAND USE:**

ON-SITE: Vacant/ Neighborhood Commercial

NORTH: Residential SOUTH: Vacant Land

EAST: Vacant Commercial Land

WEST: Residential

SPA06-130 Waddell Square Shopping Center

#### **PROJECT DATA:**

Zoning	C-2 (General Commercial)	
Building Area	Gross 56,428 S. F.	
Site Area	8.21 AC.	
Site Coverage	76.1%	
Parking Coverage	60 %	
Landscape Coverage	23.9%	
Parking Required 324 Spaces	Provided 236 Spaces	
Construction Type	5B	

#### **EXISTING UTILITIES AND SERVICES STATUS:**

**WATER** 

Arizona American

**SEWER** 

City of Surprise

FIRE PROTECTION

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POLICE

**PROTECTION:** 

Surprise Police Department currently has stations located:

14312 West Tierra Buena Lane 18600 North Reems Road

#### **EXISTING SITE CONDITIONS**

The site is 85~% vacant and free of debris. An existing Walgreens Drugstore occupies the remaining 15%

#### **INFRASTUCTURE**

All infrastructures will be developed in accordance with the Surprise Municipal Code.

#### STANDARD STIPULATIONS:

- a) Development shall be in accordance with the Site Plan date-stamped September 7, 2006, unless otherwise stated herein;
- b) Prior to delivery of any combustible material to the site, fire department access and fire protection systems shall be completely operational in accordance with the approved plans by the Fire Chief and the City Engineer;
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- f) Approval of this site plan is not to be construed as an approval of any violation of the Surprise Municipal Code, 2003 International Building, Plumbing, Mechanical, Fire Codes and/or the National Electric Codes;
- g) All landscaping, hardscape and wall details shall be submitted for separate landscape review and approval by the Community Development Director prior to issuance of a building permit;
- h) All roof mounted and ground mounted mechanical equipment shall be screened from public view and will be subject to the approval of the Community Development Director;
- i) Because the property is located within the vicinity of a military airport, the applicant shall comply with the noise attenuation standards adopted by the City;
- j) The Certificate of Occupancy for all proposed buildings will require written approval from the Engineering Department, the Community Development Department, the Fire Department, and the Water Resources Department.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE AIR EDUCATION AND TRAINING COMMAND

JUN - 9 2006 Community Development

6 June 2006

Mr. James R. Mitchell Director, Community Initiatives Team 56th Fighter Wing 14185 West Falcon Street Luke AFB AZ 85309-1629

Ms. Cindy Coen City of Surprise Planning Department 12425 West Bell Road Surprise AZ 85374

Re: Case #SPA06-130 Waddell Square

Dear Ms. Coen

Thank you for the opportunity to provide additional comments on the Site Plan Amendment Application for Waddell Square. The 10.89-acre center, at the northwest corner of Reems and Waddell Roads, is applying for amendment to the original plan to now include approximately 56,400 square feet in retail buildings and restaurants. The originally planned Walgreens Pharmacy has been completed at that site. The site is approximately 1 3/4 miles outside the 1988 JLUS 65 Ldn, "high noise or accident potential zone" as defined by A.R.S. § 28-8461 and within the "territory in the vicinity of a military airport" also defined by A.R.S. § 28-8461.

As described, this site plan amendment will not negatively impact the flying operations at Luke AFB. Since the development will be located within the "territory in the vicinity of a military airport," it will be subjected to approximately 165 over flights a day, with some as low as 1,500 feet above ground level. We recommend you review the sound attenuation requirements found in A.R.S. § 28-8482. In addition, a strong notification program on the part of the applicant is essential to inform potential tenants about Luke AFB operations. We also recommend a review of the Luke AFB web site at <a href="http://www.luke.af.mil">http://www.luke.af.mil</a>, Community Interests and Community Initiatives links, for further information.

If there are any questions, please contact my Community Planner, Mr. Bob Dubsky, at (623) 856-6195.

Sincerely

JAMES R. MITCHELL

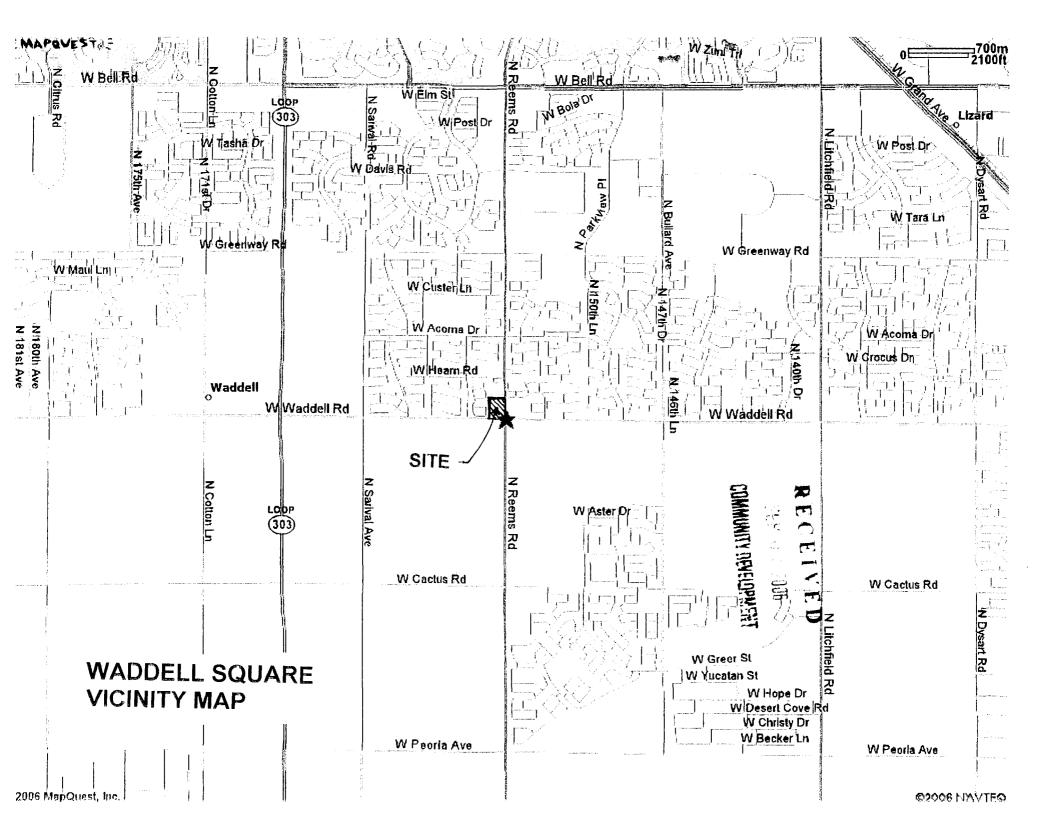
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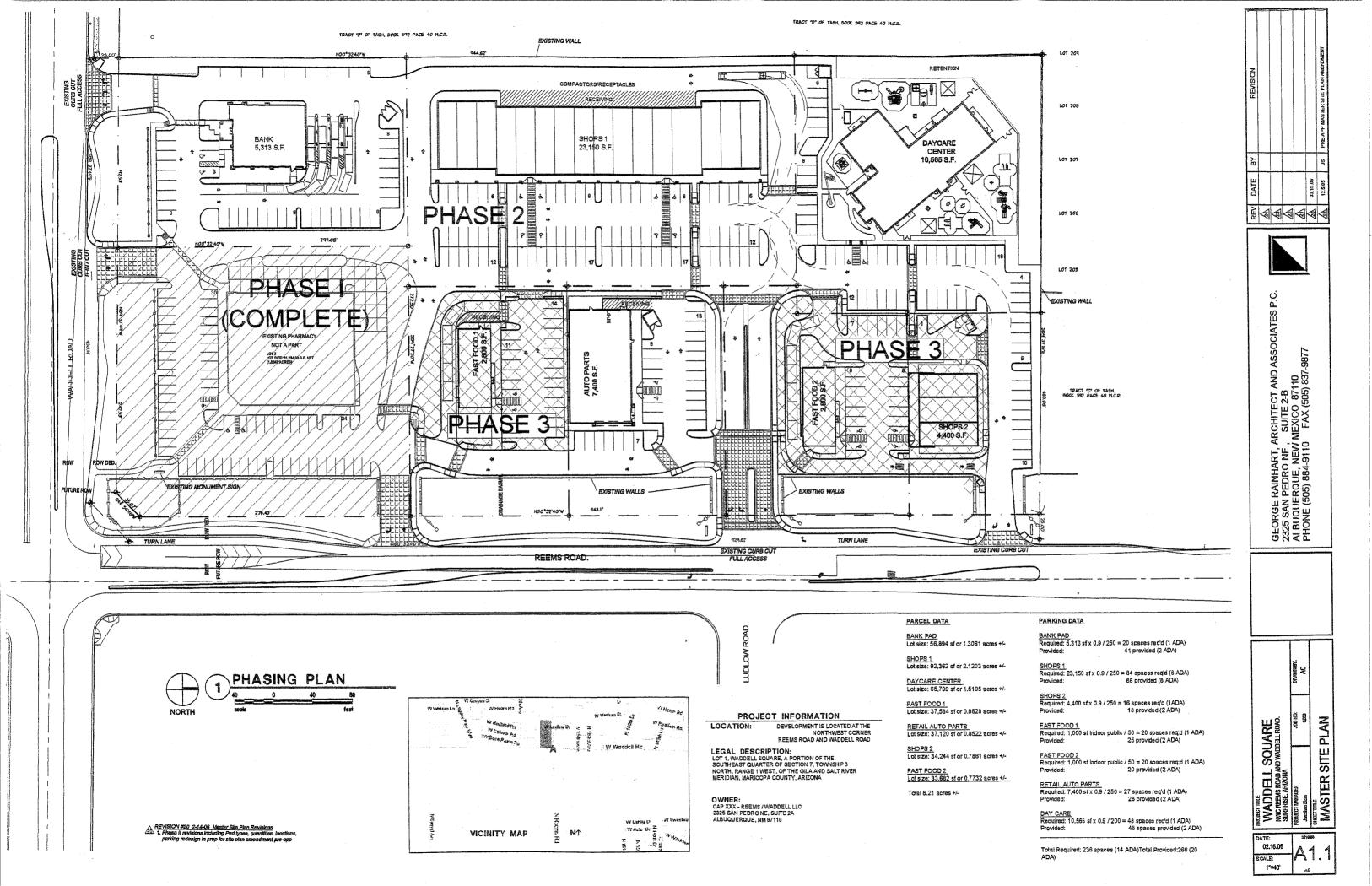
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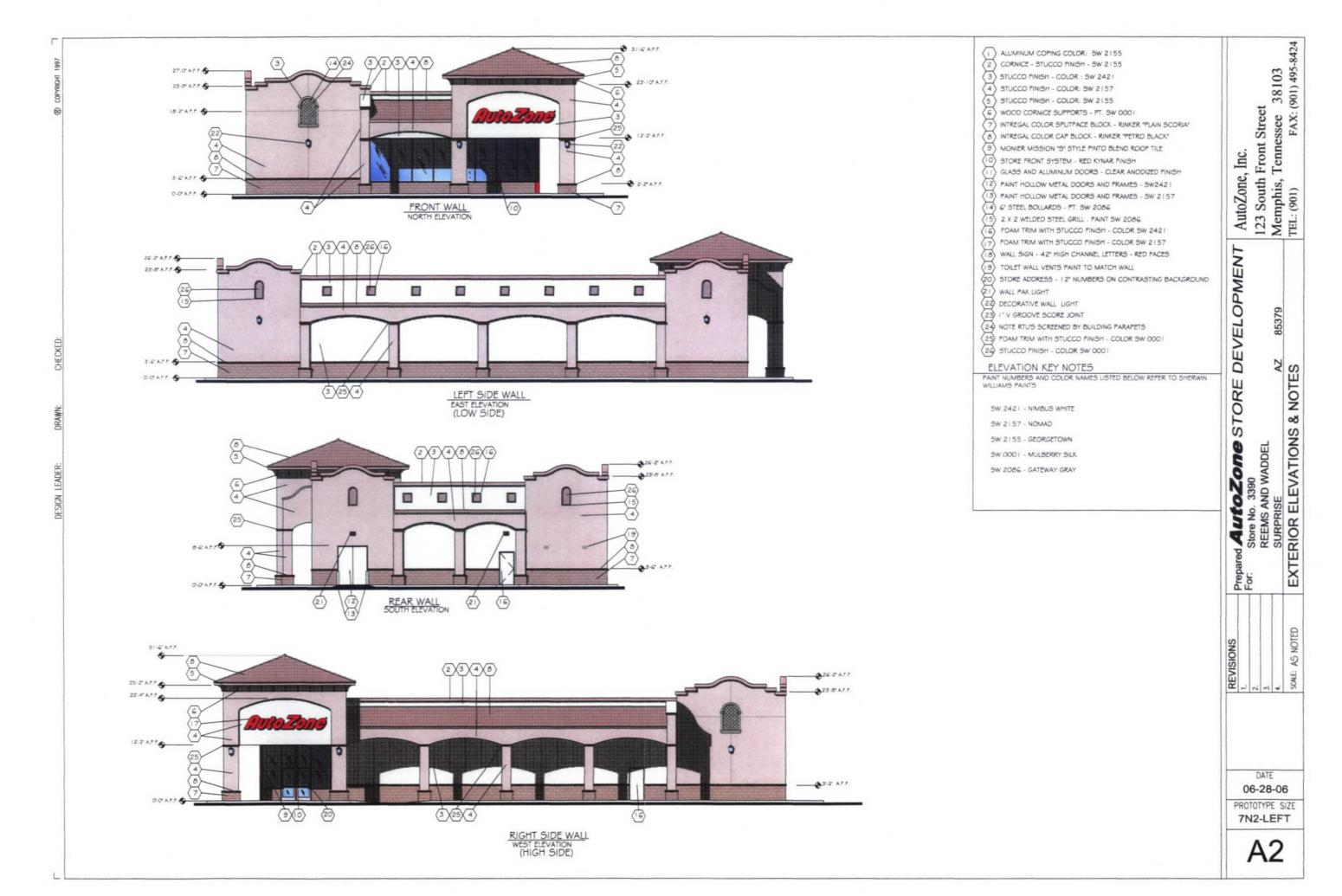
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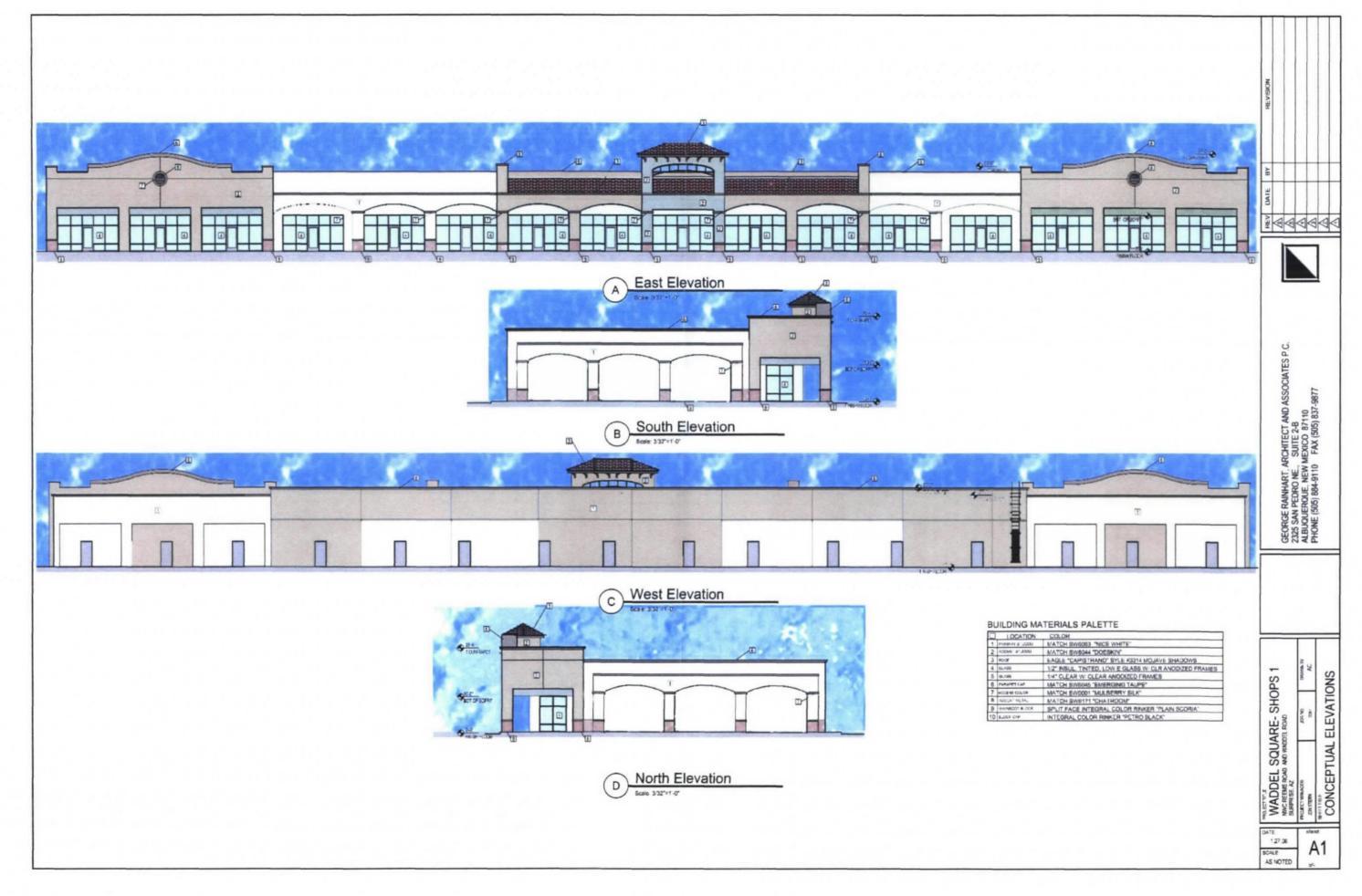




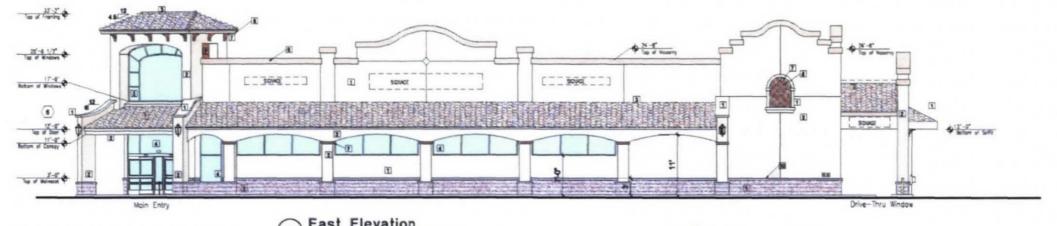


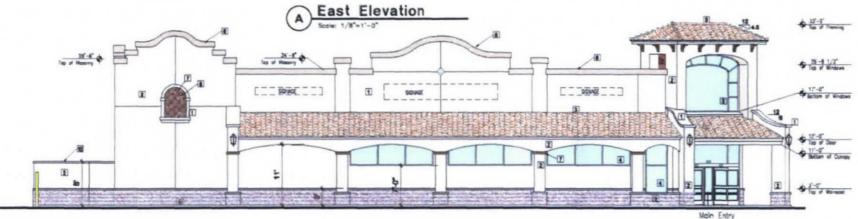






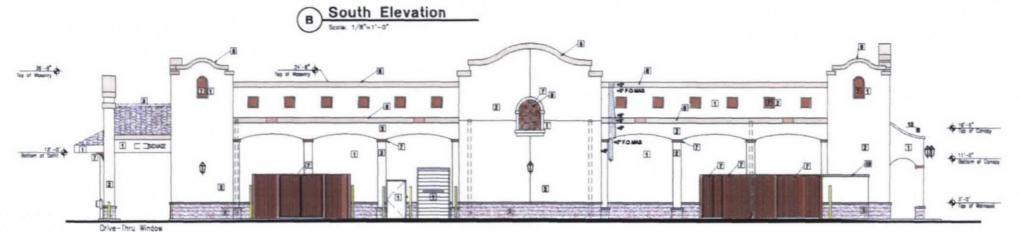




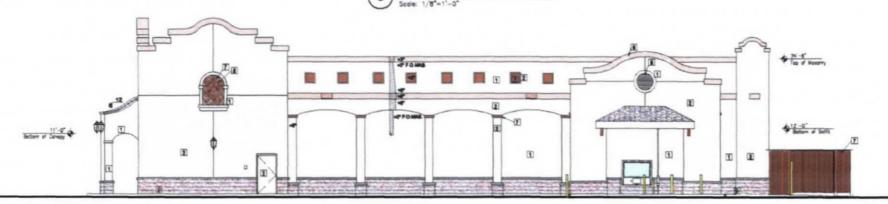


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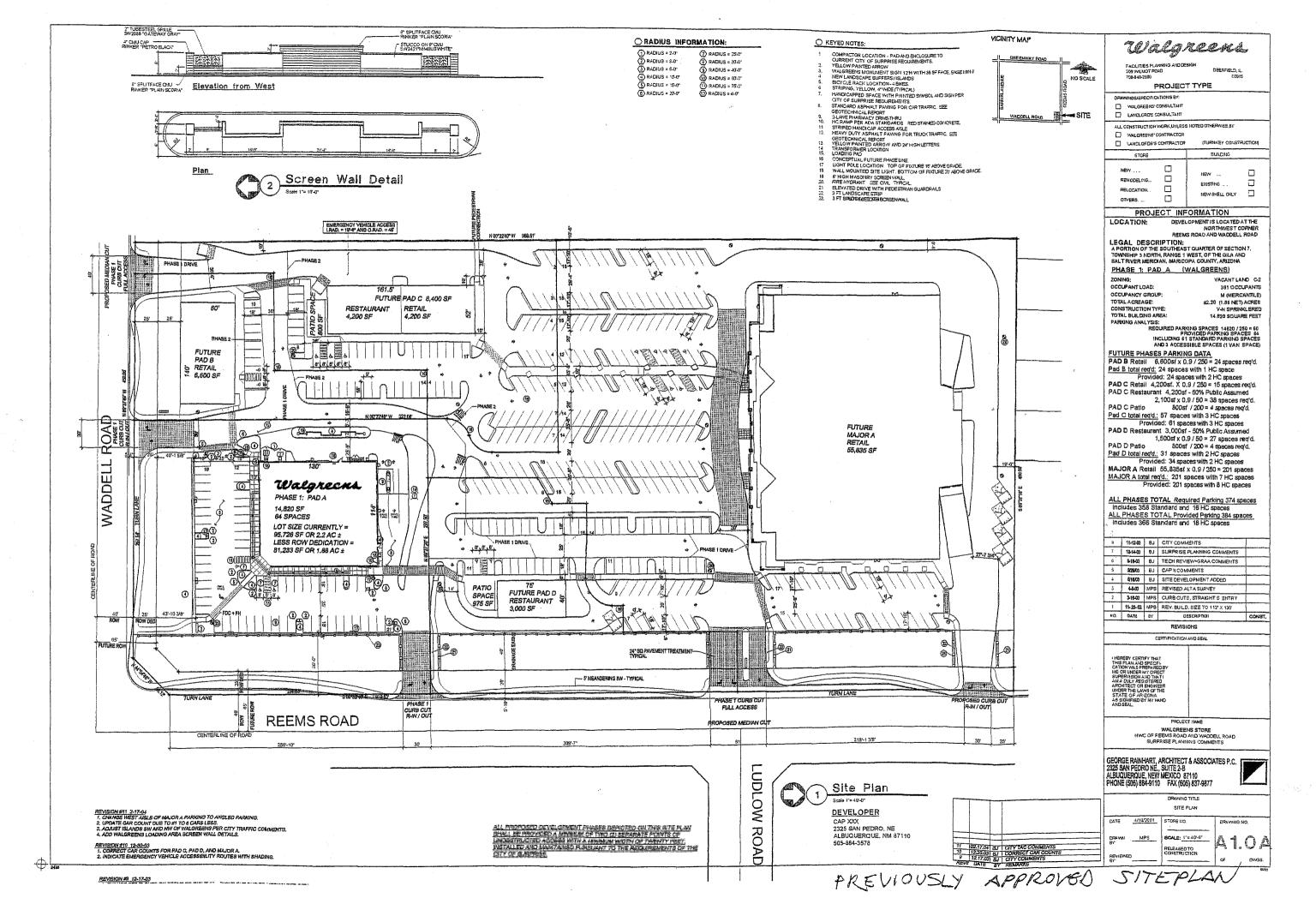
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3	ROOF	MONIER MISSION "8" SYLE "PINTO BLEND" 1MSSS 0689
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5	CLASS	1/4" CLEAR W/ CLEAR ANODIZED FRAMES
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7	ACCIONT COLOR	MATCH SW0001 "MULBERRY SILK"
8	ACCIBIT METAL	MATCH SW2086 "GATEWAY GRAY"
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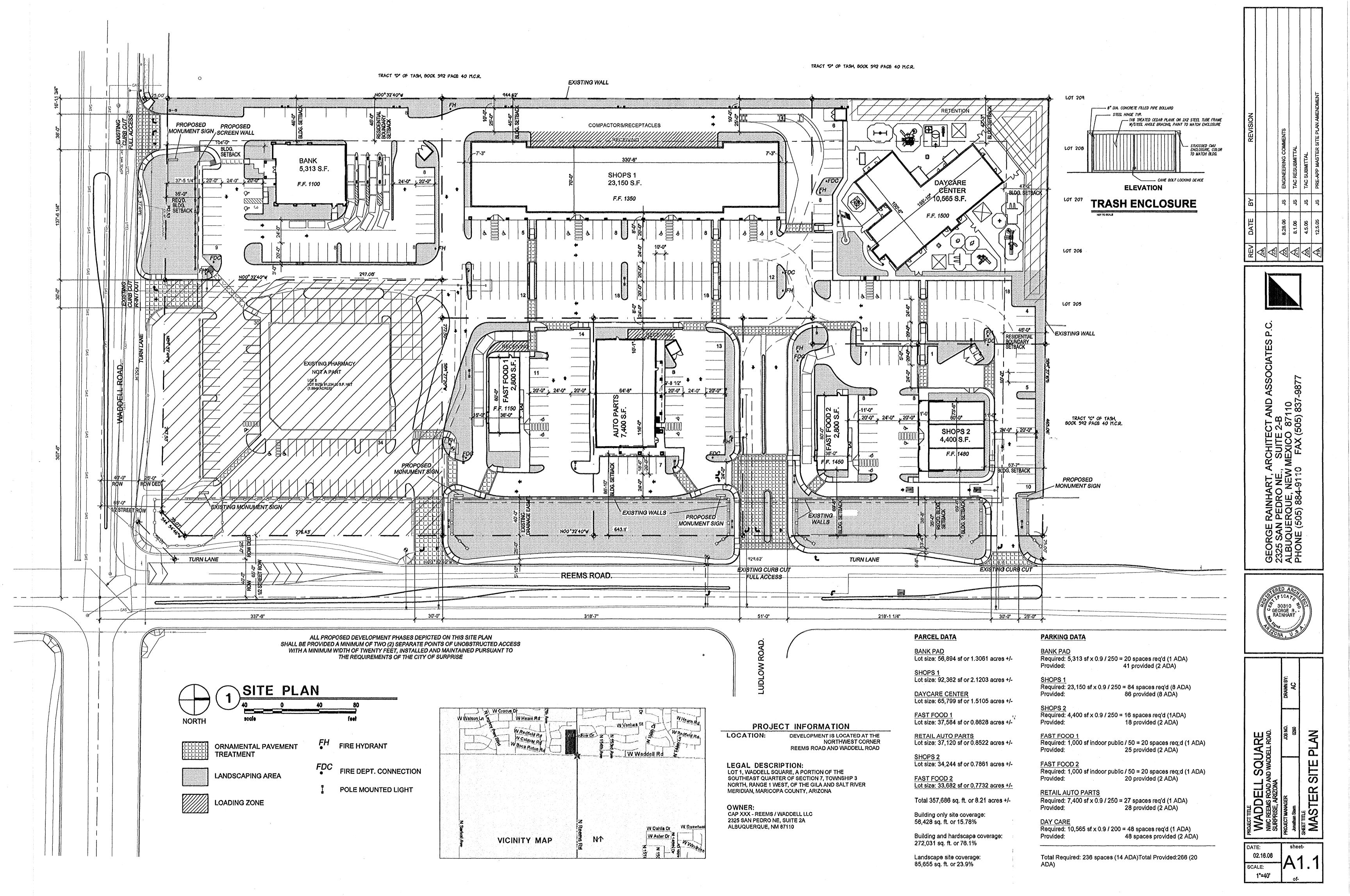


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EXISTING WALGREENS





# Narrative Description Of Waddell Square Shopping Center

A Peterson Properties Development

## Northwest Corner Of Reems Road And Waddell Road Surprise, AZ



## **Application for Site Plan Amendment**

December 5, 2005 Revised April 5, 2006 Revised August 1, 2006 Revised September 1, 2006

A Proposed Site Plan Amendment at the Northwest Corner of Reems Road & Waddell Road



#### Introduction

This document accompanies an application for an amendment to a previously approved site plan for Waddell Square, a neighborhood retail center situated on 10.89 acres of C-2-zoned land at the northwest corner of Reems Road and Waddell Road in Surprise, Arizona.

A master site development plan was approved by the City of Surprise Planning and Zoning Commission on March 16, 2004 as agenda item SP03-289. As approved, Waddell Square consisted of 88,655 square feet of retail space, including a 14,820 sf Walgreens Drugstore, a 55,835 sf retail building, a 3,000 sf restaurant and 15,000 sf of retail buildings intended for smaller retail, service, and restaurant users (see Exhibit "A" for approved master site development plan).

The most significant requested change to the approved plan would be the elimination of the large retail facility at the North end of the site. The resulting plan would be a more homogenous scale of buildings with more consistent footprints. The amended site proposal would further diversify the intended uses by including a day care center and bank. The Walgreens Drugstore has been built and is operational. As depicted now, proposed facilities will include a 5,313 sf bank, 23,150 sf shops building, 10,565 sf day care center, a 4,400 sf shops building, a 7,400 sf auto parts store, and two 2,800 sf fast food restaurants (see Exhibit "B" for proposed amended master site development plan).

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#### **Phasing Plan**

With Phase I (Walgreens) now complete, development of Phase II construction will commence upon approval of an amended master plan. Phase II will consist of all the remaining pads and shops (and associated sidewalks, paving, and landscape) with the exception of the two fast food parcels and the smaller shops parcel. These parcels will remain conceptual until specific buyers have been located, and will comprise Phase III. (See Exhibit "H" for a Phasing Plan diagram.)

#### **Density**

The remaining portion of the site to be developed (excluding the existing Walgreens parcel) comprises 8.21 net acres or 357,686 square feet. With a total proposed build-out of 56,428 sf, lot coverage of the amended site plan would be 15.78%. Lot coverage of the previously-approved site plan was 20.64%.

#### **Pre-existing Site Aspects**

The site for Waddell Square is relatively flat, with a north to south grade reduction of approximately four feet over 960 feet of north to south frontage. The site is vacant dirt with sparse vegetation. According to a Geotechnical Study performed for the applicant by Kleinfelder, Inc., dated December 2002, it is "likely that the site was a previously irrigated agricultural field prior to the construction of the surrounding residential development." The report goes on to describe the soils and subsoils of the site as "interbedded layers of silty clays and clayey silts, clayey sands," and "silty sands." The report concluded that the site was "suitable for development from a geotechnical perspective, using shallow footings with slab-on-grade floors and some site grading". (See Exhibit "F" for proposed Grading.)

Five driveway entries to the site, two on Waddell Road, three on Reems Road, have been completed per the approved master site plan. Utility lines have been stubbed into the site in preparation for service to the proposed remaining phases of development.

As previously stated, the Walgreens at the intersection of Reems and Waddell has been constructed according to the approved master site plan, in conjunction with associated parking and site screen walls bordering its parcel.

#### **Drainage**

A portion of the subject parcel and the overall property currently lies within a mapped FEMA flood plain. The developer has removed the flood plain area onsite by constructing a flood channel. In a recorded document dated April 8, 2003, the applicant granted unto the City of Surprise a 65' easement for a drainage channel along the Reems Road frontage of the site. The extension of this drainage channel has been completed as part of the first phase of construction at Waddell Square. It has been designed to convey flood waters in a southerly direction towards the intersection of Reems Road and Waddell Road. The ultimate

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development will be designed to accommodate all storm water retention requirements as required by the City of Surprise. These design parameters require that the development contain a 100-year, 2-hour storm event for the entire commercial property, including the half street frontage of Waddell Road, but in this case excludes the area for Reems Road, as there is no way to convey the storm water drainage through the proposed flood control channel along the street frontage.

#### **Utilites**

Off-site utilities serving the site include:

- Water 12" water lines are in both Reems Road and Waddell Road adjacent to the site. Water is provided by Arizona American Water Company.
- Sanitary Sewer a 24" sewer line in Reems Road and a 24" sewer line in Waddell Road are adjacent to the site. Sanitary sewer service is provided by the City of Surprise.
- Natural Gas a 4" gas line is available in Waddell Road adjacent to the site and a 4" gas line exists 20' east of Reems Road adjacent to the site. Natural gas service is provided by Southwest Gas.
- Electric a 12KV overhead electric line is available adjacent to the site on the west side of Reems Road. Electric service is provided by APS.

Telephone – an underground telephone line exists in Waddell Road adjacent to the site. Telephone service is provided by Qwest.

#### **Nearby Residential Properties**

Waddell Square will serve the needs of the surrounding residents. Each side of Reems Road north of Waddell Square and south of Bell Road has been in various stages of residential construction, featuring the following projects:

		Number of
Project Name	<u>Location</u>	<u>Lots</u>
Tash	Reems Rd., North of Waddell, adjacent to Waddell Square	251
Cotton Gin	Northeast corner of Reems Rd and Waddell Rd	209
Countryside	East side of Reems Rd between Waddell Rd and Greenway Rd	788

Each side of Reems Road south of Waddell Square and north of Cactus Road has been in various stages of residential construction, featuring the following projects:

		Number of
Project Name	<u>Location</u>	<u>Lots</u>
Marley Park Cactus Lane	Southeast corner of Reems Rd. and Waddell Rd.	3,060
Ranch	Southwest corner of Reems Rd. and Waddell Rd.	TBD

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The north side of Waddell Road both east and west of Waddell Square features residential projects under construction, including the Tash and Cotton Gin projects referenced above as well as the following projects:

		Number of
Project Name	<u>Location</u>	<u>Lots</u>
Lagacy Park	Northeast corner of Waddell and Sarival	1,031
Ashton Ranch	Northwest corner of Waddell and Bullard	1,220

The south side of Waddell Road west of Waddell Square features the proposed Cactus Lane Ranch development referenced above while the south side of Waddell Road east of Reems Road features Marley Park, also referenced above.

#### **Nearby Commercial Properties**

Sierra Verde Commercial Corner is under construction two miles to the east of Waddell Square at Litchfield Road and Waddell Road and will contain 179,500 square feet of retail space. Sierra Verde will feature a Fry's supermarket, a Bank One branch, and approximately 20,000 square feet for smaller retail, service, and restaurant tenants. Surprise Crossings is under construction at the same intersection as Sierra Verde. Surprise Crossings will comprise 139,305 square feet, including a Safeway supermarket, a McDonalds, a Bank of America branch, and approximately 23,000 square feet for small retail, restaurant, and service tenants. Sierra Verde and Surprise Crossings will serve the existing and new residential development in southeastern Surprise.

Two miles south of Waddell Square, at the intersection of Reems Road and Peoria Avenue, the Surprise Medical and Professional Office Buildings are under construction and will contain 34,255 square feet of space. Two miles to the north of Waddell Square, at the intersection of Reems Road and Bell Road, the Village at Reems and Bell was recently approved by the Planning and Zoning Commission. The Village at Reems and Bell will feature 101,968 square feet of retail space. Along with many other commercial properties on Bell Road, the Village at Reems and Bell will serve the existing residential population in central Surprise.

Waddell Square is ideally located to provide services to the rapidly growing south-central region of Surprise. Reems Road and Waddell Road are major arterial roadways allowing residents in each direction to easily access Waddell Square's stores and services. No other property at the intersection of Reems Road and Waddell Road is zoned commercially; they will each be part of various residential subdivisions described above.

Waddell Square is appropriately spaced relative to projects of a similar nature in Surprise. As detailed above, Sierra Verde Commercial Corner and Surprise Crossings are two miles to the east of Waddell Square and the Village at Reems and Bell is two miles to the north. No other commercial properties of a similar size and accessibility exist within a two mile radius of Waddell Square. As residential build out continues to the south and west of Waddell Square, the City of Surprise may continue to guide development such that retail projects are spaced approximately two miles apart.

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#### **Nearby Amenities and Facilities**

Recreation available to residents near Waddell Square includes that offered by the Surprise Recreation Campus approximately two miles to the northeast, featuring Spring Training games, baseball fields, the Surprise Aquatic Center, two tennis courts, two lighted sand volleyball courts, a playground, and barbecue facilities. Sierra Montana park is located less than one mile to the northeast of Waddell Square featuring a softball field, a multipurpose field, two basketball courts, three sand volleyball courts, a playground, and barbecue facilities. The Countryside Recreation Center exists approximately one mile to the northeast of Waddell Square and features a multipurpose gymnasium and a dance/aerobics room. The Surprise Regional Library resides approximately one mile northeast of Waddell Square. Surprise is served by eight public golf courses.

Recreation is available in and open space is preserved by the White Tank Regional Park six miles west of Waddell Square.

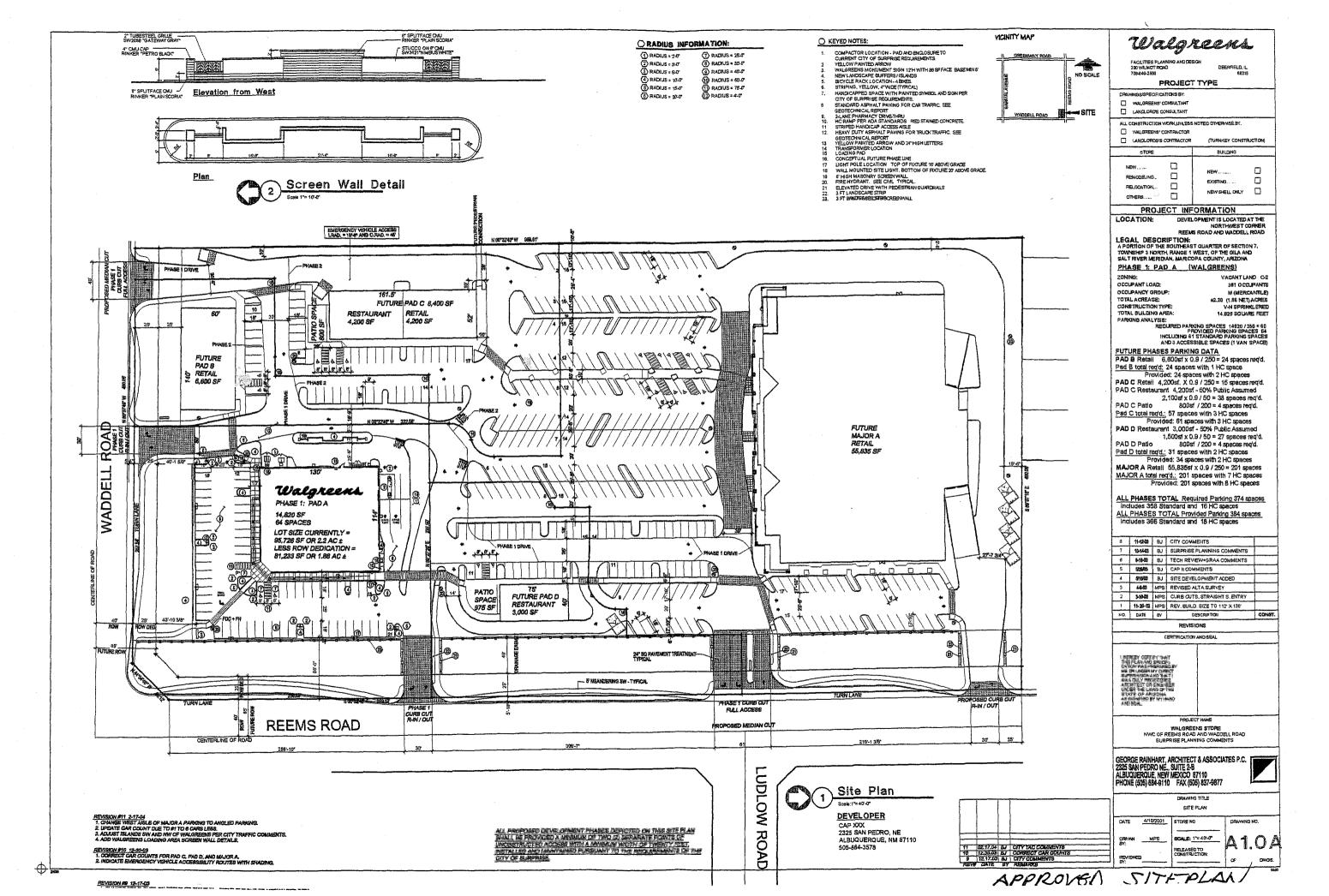
As a commercial project, Waddell Square will not increase the demand for area schools. The area surrounding Waddell Square is served by the Dysart Unified School District. Children attending kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> grade that reside immediately to the east, west, and north of Waddell Square are within the attendance boundaries of Countryside Elementary. Children attending kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> grade that reside to the south of Waddell Square are within the attendance boundaries of Marley Park Elementary. Students attending high school that reside to the north, west, east, and southwest of Waddell Square are within the attendance boundaries of Willow Canyon High School. Students attending high school that reside to the southeast of Waddell Square are within the attendance boundaries of Dysart High School. Undergraduate, graduate, and continuing education is provided to area residents by Arizona State University's West campus, Rio Salado College's learning center, the Maricopa Skill Center, and the American Graduate School of International Management ("Thunderbird").

#### Conclusion

The proposed modifications to the approved master site development plan will be consistent with the development standards booklet prepared for Waddell Square in December 2003, as well as in accordance with the "Planning and Design Guidelines Manual" published by the city of Surprise, Arizona. Architecture will carry forward the pre-established design vocabulary approved for the existing Walgreens. This will include consistent application of landscaping themes, signage, lighting, and general approach to site circulation. The approved Walgreens elevations along with a conceptual elevation of the proposed larger shops building, and the conceptual auto parts store elevations, have been included in this narrative (Exhibits "C", "D", "E" respectively) to illustrate the intent of continuing to utilize design articulation already established for Waddell Square. The proposed site plan amendment will improve upon the existing site plan in the areas of building scale and overall site layout consistency, while maintaining aspects of building design and general flow of traffic circulation.

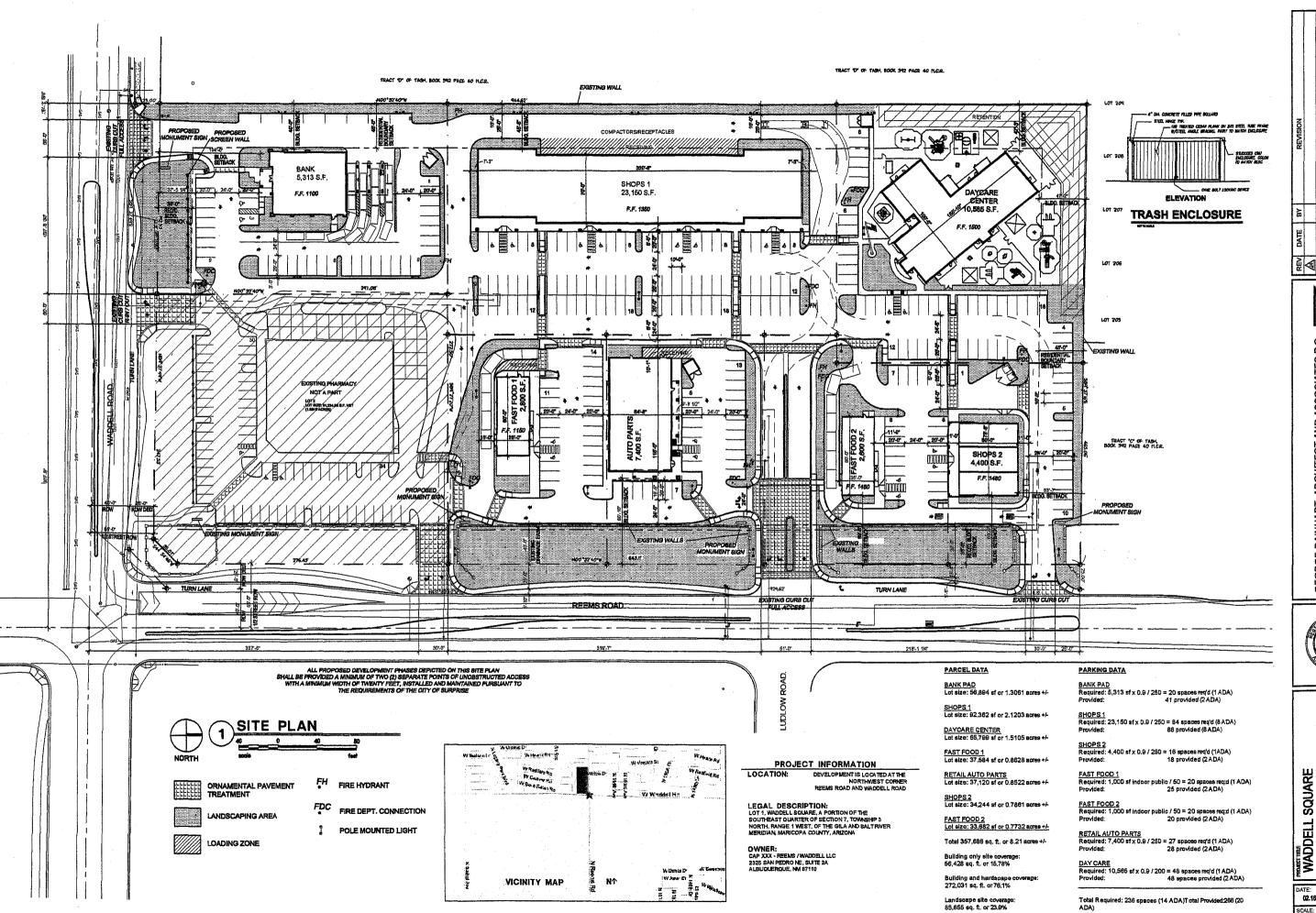
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#### **EXHIBIT A – APPROVED SITE PLAN**



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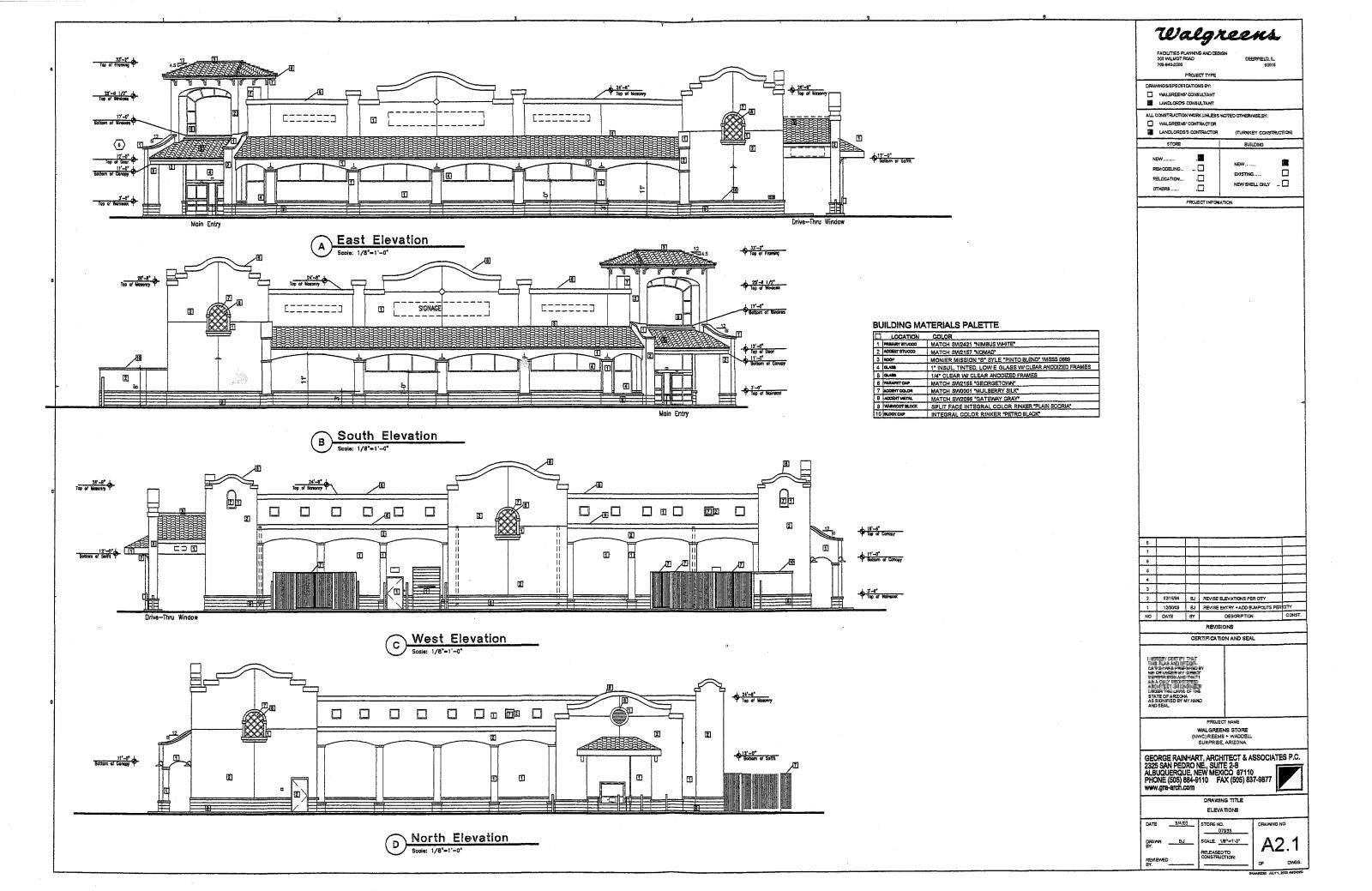


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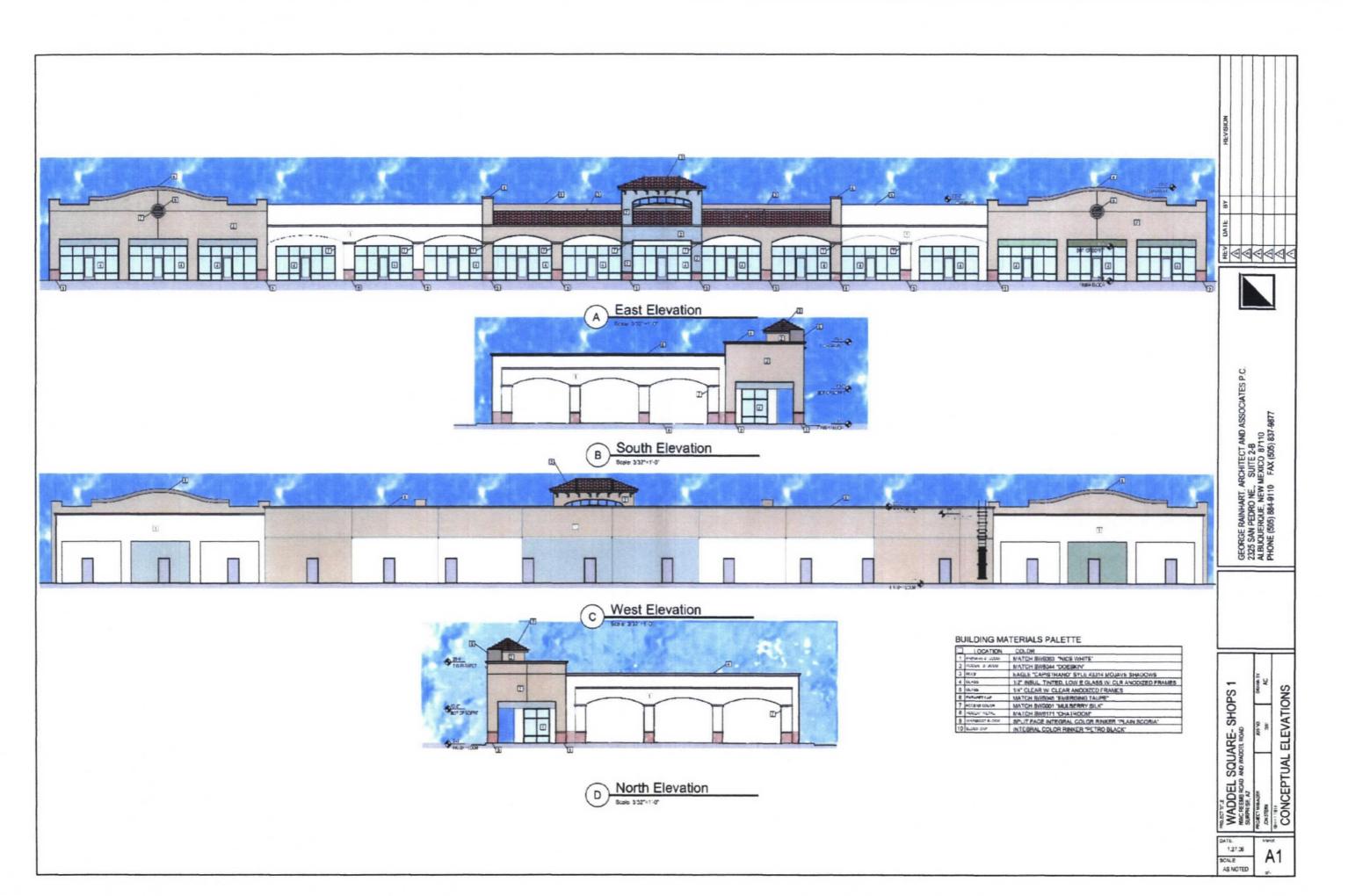


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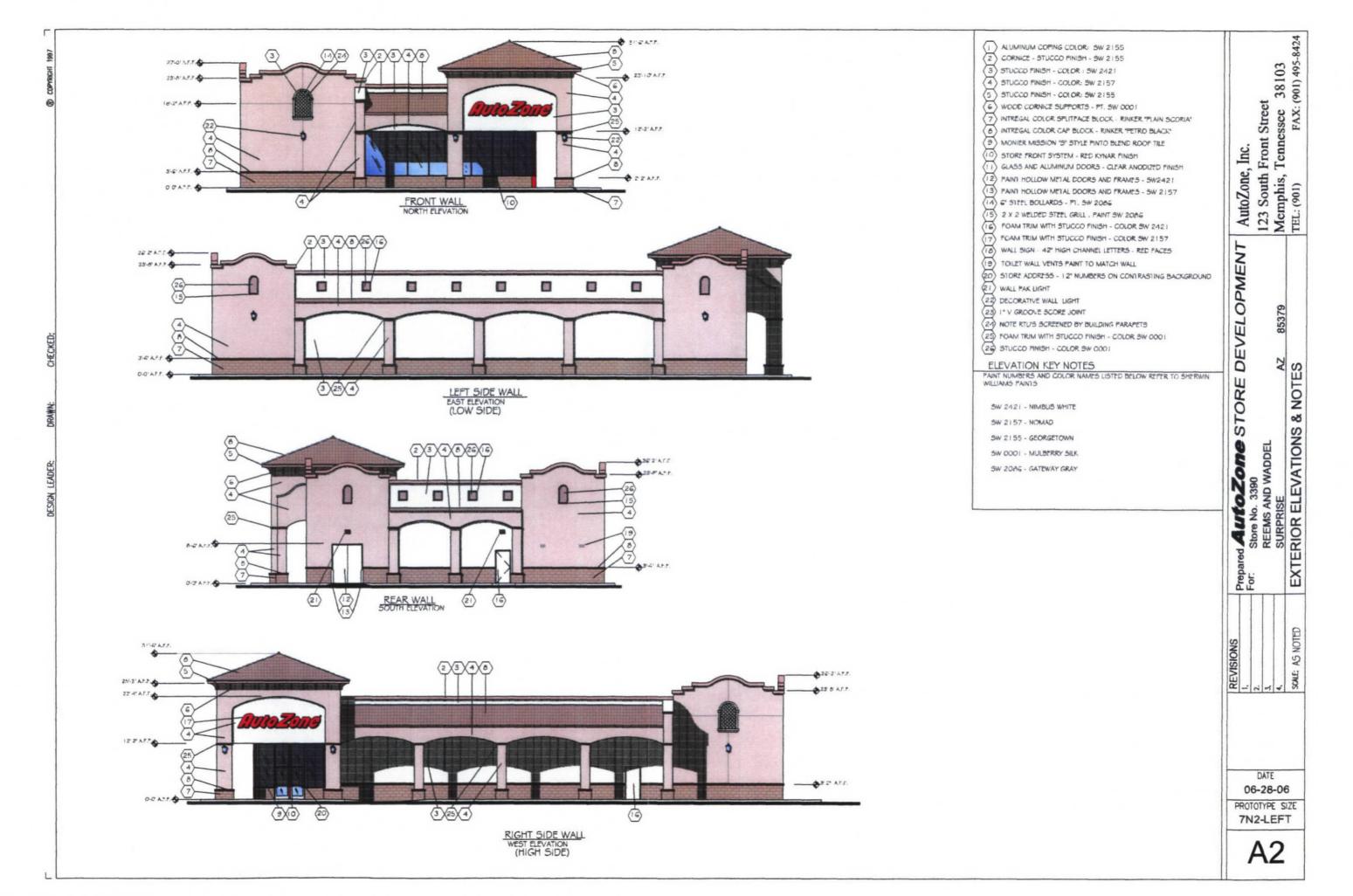
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#### **EXHIBIT D – CONCEPTUAL SHOPS ELEVATIONS**



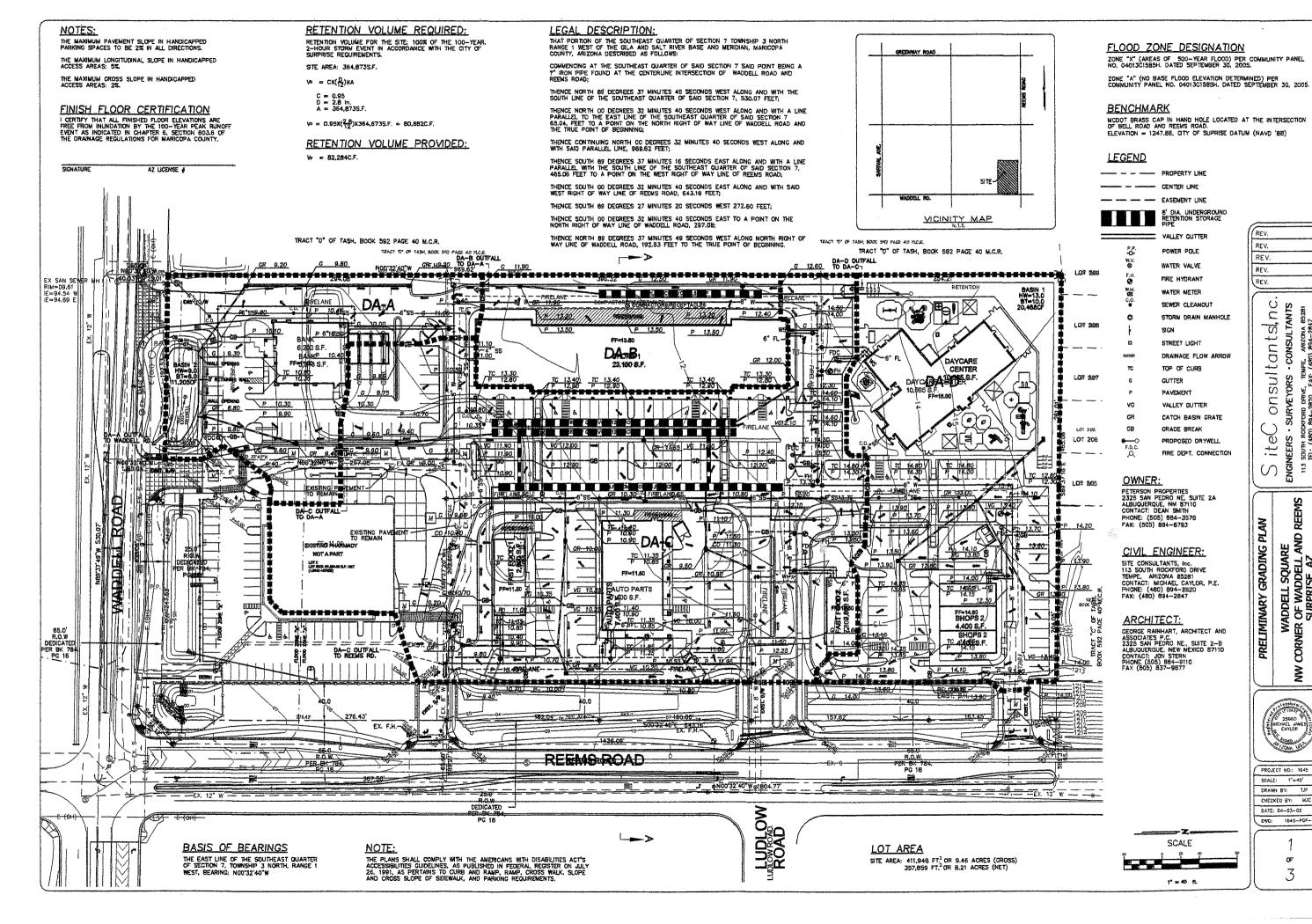
#### **EXHIBIT E - CONCEPTUAL AUTO PARTS STORE ELEVATIONS**



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#### **EXHIBIT F - CONCEPTUAL GRADING PLAN**



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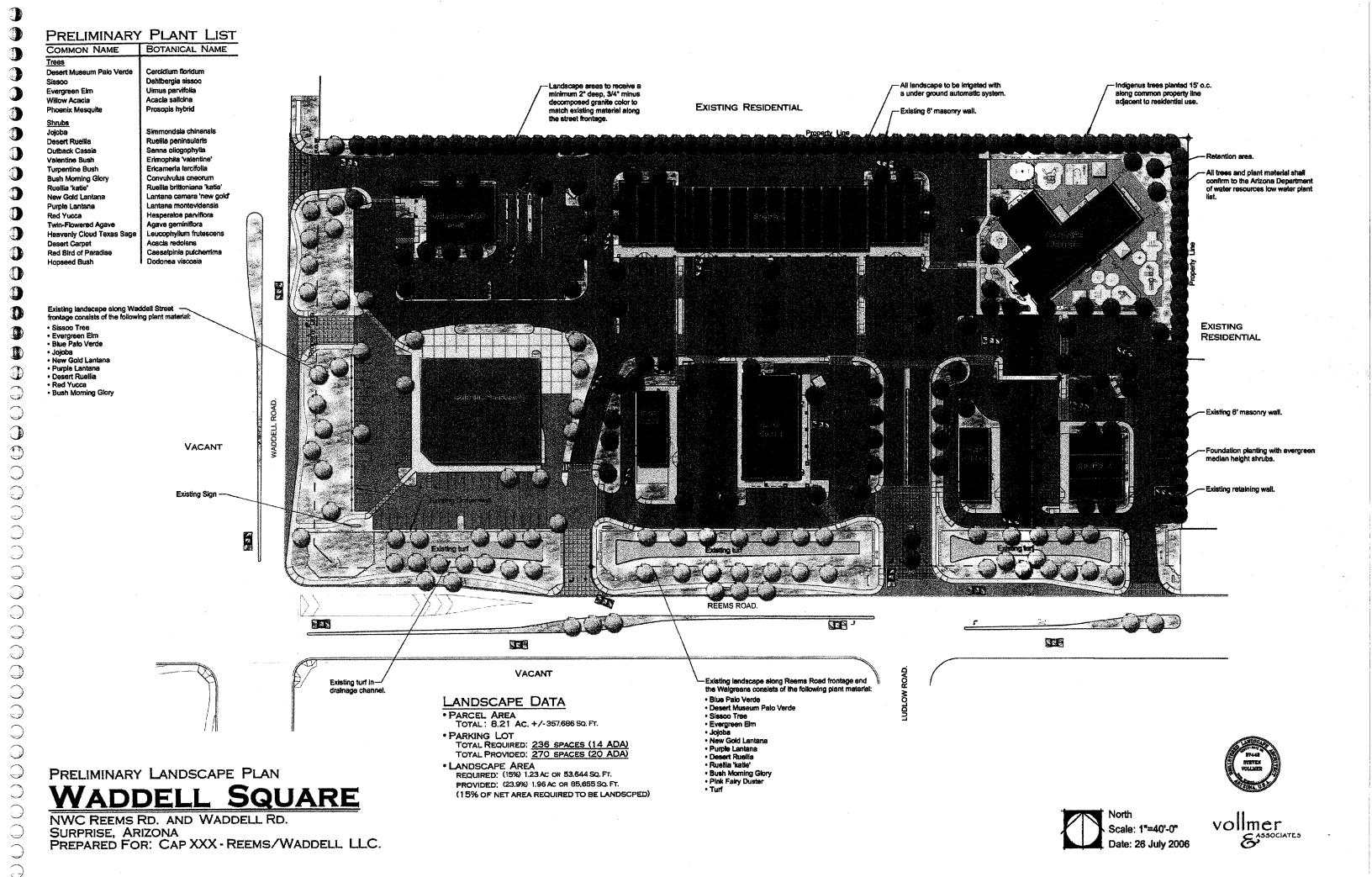
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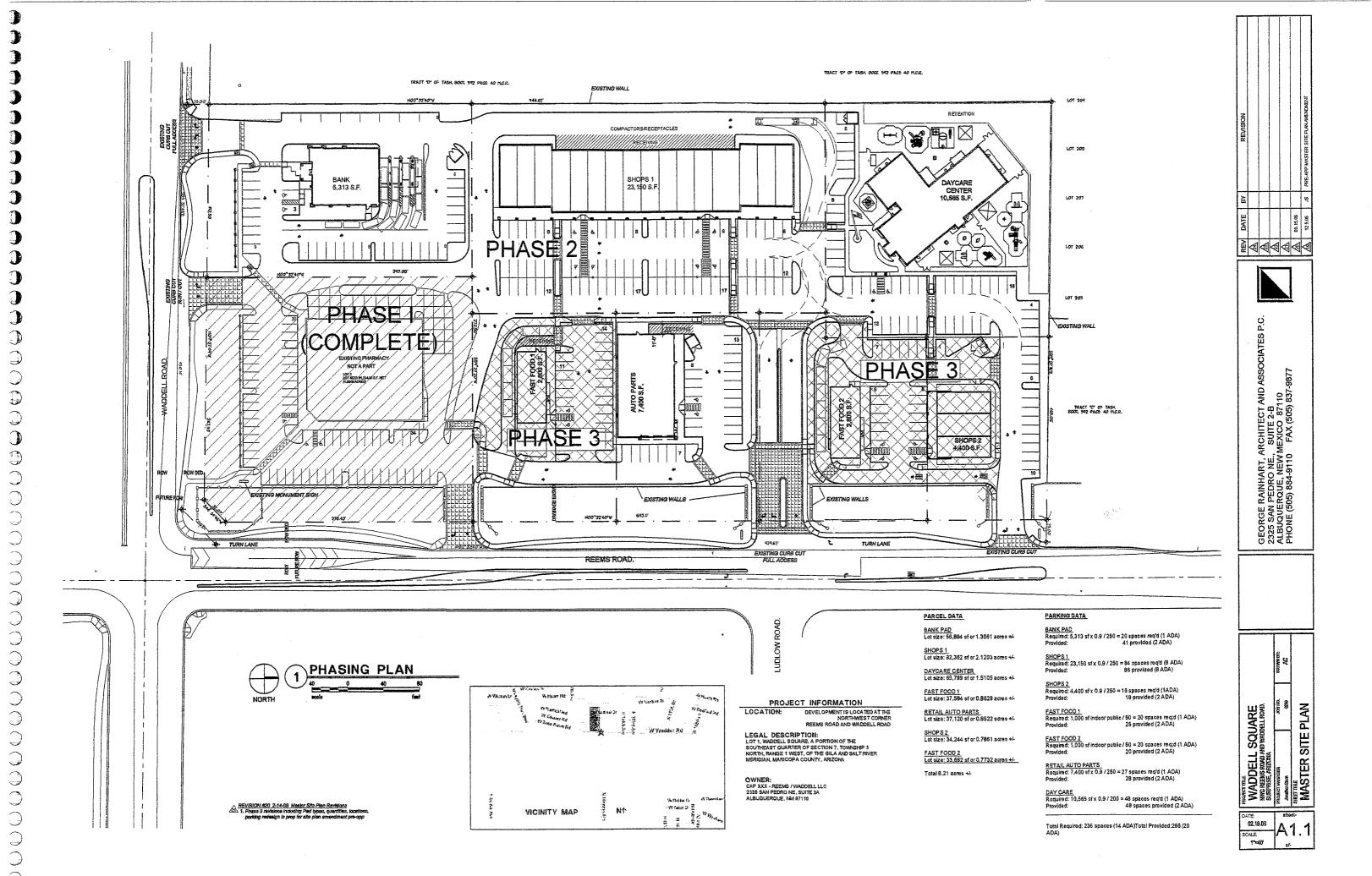
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**EXHIBIT G – CONCEPTUAL LANDSCAPE PLAN** 



**EXHIBIT H - PHASING PLAN** 



#### ITEM 4

October 4, 2006

#### REPORT TO THE PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

CASE NUMBER: GPA06-340 (Major Amendment)

PREPARED BY: Janice See, Sr. Planner @ 623.875.4309

Planning & Zoning Commission 1st Hearing Date: Planning & Zoning Commission 2<sup>nd</sup> Hearing Date: November 21, 2006

City Council Hearing Date: **December 14, 2006** 

APPLICANT: Community Development Director

REQUEST: Public Hearing discussion on GPA06-340, a request

> for a major amendment to the Surprise General Plan 2020. This public hearing will serve as the first of two required public hearings before the Planning and Zoning Commission. No formal action shall be

rendered on the application at this first public hearing.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Staff recommends that the Planning and Zoning

Commission hold a public hearing on GPA06-340,

Major Amendment to the General Plan.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

The proposed 2006 update represents a year of staff work focused on employing long standing and proven planning principles to develop a growth management plan that can respond to the many growth issues facing the city. The proposed 2006 update is the first step in a series of growth management tools that are proposed in the next few years. In 2007, staff will present a comprehensive update that will further define the changes that are proposed in this 2006 update. Area and specific planning will play an important role in the 2007 update. Staff is also working on a development code rewrite that will be brought forth for review in 2007.

In 2006, staff focused on revisions that would provide a foundation to further work. RBF Consulting was hired to revise text language and graphics to reflect existing conditions and to aid in the rewrite process. Other revisions to the General Plan include the addition of a safety element as required by Arizona Revised Statutes for cities with populations over 50,000, the division of environment/water element into two separate elements to recognize the importance of water and water resource issues and environmental factors in their own purview, new land use classifications that focus on long-term community vision rather than individual project development, a new land use map that reflects the new classifications, and minimal updates to the classification and location of arterials on the transportation map to reflect existing or planned conditions.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT:**

Agency review began on September 20, 2006 and will last until November 20, 2006. All written comments will be forwarded to the Planning and Zoning Commission with the staff report for the second public hearing.

The 2006 proposed update to the General Plan is a departure from past major plan amendments which were related to specific projects. Therefore, a number of different methods are being used to gather comments. Staff has held seven workshops with the Planning and Zoning Commission during the past year specifically related to the General Plan. Although these workshops are open to the public, attendance has been light. Nevertheless, the workshops represent an opportunity to gather information and provide comment. Opportunities to comment on General Plan issues have been available on the city website since July of 2006.

Public comment related specifically to the General Plan 2006 update document are being accommodated by holding a series of outreach meetings and the first public hearing early in the agency review process. To allow more choices for public comment, the first public hearing is not only being held at an alternative site as required by ARS, the meeting day is being held on a day of the week not normally scheduled for meetings to allow those who normally have other engagements the opportunity to attend. Community Development staff also have outreach meetings scheduled for Tuesday, September 26, 2006 at the City Hall Classroom and Wednesday, September 27, 2006 at Nadaburg School.

After early hearing of Planning and Zoning Commission and public comment on the proposed plan, staff will have adequate time to address any concerns before a second series of outreach meetings on October 30 and November 1 2006, and the second Planning and Zoning Commission public hearing on November 21, 2006.